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PARADE PLANNED FOR LABOR DAY

Committee Agrees Upon This at Meeting—Chose Marshal Later.

VETERANS WILL BE GUESTS

Orator for Occasion Not Yet Selected, but Prominent Man Has Been Invited.

With 1,500 men, representing eighteen labor organizations, a parade in the city will precede the Labor Day celebration at the State Fair Grounds. This action was determined at a meeting of the Labor Day committee of the Central Trades and Labor Council held last night. The matter of choosing a chief marshal will be taken up at a meeting to be held next Monday night. It was announced that the marshal will not necessarily be a member of the committee.

The committee decided to invite all merchants to have desirable floats in the line. No prizes will be offered, nor will any donations be solicited. The parade will move from Tenth and Capitol Streets to Broad promptly at 9 o'clock. The line of march will be up Broad Street to the Hermitage Press. Here it will disband. Those who will participate must be on hand promptly at 8.15 o'clock.

One of the features of the parade will be the presence of W. C. Delaney, the oldest union carpenter in the United States. On account of his age, Mr. Delaney will not be among the marchers, but will be seated in a carriage.

An orator for the day has not yet been chosen, but a man of national prominence has been invited to speak. He has accepted conditionally. If affairs at Washington will permit, he will be present.

The committee also decided to invite all Confederate veterans at the Soldiers' Home to be its guests during the day. It is expected that some charitable organization will be given the privilege of selling refreshments, for the benefit of its work.

Many Features Planned.

Features of the day will include horse and motorcycle racing. Many local cyclists have been invited to Norfolk and Baltimore for the day, but have decided to remain here to aid in making the event a success. So far, thirty-eight horses have been entered for the races. The closing event will be a mule race, the rider of the slowest animal to be awarded the prize. There will be dancing from 10 o'clock in the morning until 6.30 at night. The gates will be closed at 7 o'clock, by which time all visitors will have departed.

No undesirable persons will be permitted to enter the grounds, and misbehavior will be severely punished. The committee has on foot a plan to appoint members of organized labor to act as policemen, first obtaining permission from Sheriff Kemp, of Henrico County, to do so.

On a warrant in which he is charged with cursing and abusing and threatening to kill W. H. Waters, Robert Baker and Mrs. Alma Waters, R. L. Lake was arrested yesterday by the county police. The warrant was sworn out before Judge T. R. Darracott, of Henrico County, who will try the case. Lake is also accused of disorderly conduct.

Requisition Issued.

Governor Mann issued a requisition yesterday on the Governor of Illinois for the delivery of H. Burwood, formerly of Boone County, to Sheriff Charles Hatcher, St. Louis, who was arrested at Urbana, Ill., at the request of the Virginia authorities on a charge of betrayal.

Building Permits.

Building permits were issued yesterday as follows:

Mr. Emma Murphy, to repair a frame dwelling at 21 North Twenty-ninth Street, at a cost of \$125.

School Board, city of Richmond, to repair Bainbridge School, at a cost of \$125.

Marriage Licenses.

Licenses for marriage were issued yesterday by the clerk of the Hustings Court to William A. Strathairn and Alice Lou Krepps, William J. Nicholas and Mary Hoffman, Turner and Laura Whitaker, Samuel C. Fausch and Mary Margarette V. Voth, and Robert Holt and Mary Margarette V. Voth.

The two cities of Bristol, Va., and Bristol, Tenn., are divided by the main street, which follows the railroad. The State line runs through the middle of the city. There are three sources of water supply, two on the Tennessee side and one on the Virginia side. The agreement between the city authorities, an interlocking system of valves has been installed, by which water may be drawn from either in case of a big fire in either city from all three. One of the Tennessee residents is believed to have been the source of all the trouble. The water on the Virginia side has been analyzed and found good. The Tennessee authorities are taking steps to protect that side of the line from further spread. Attempts in Bristol to keep the situation quiet for fear of hurting the business of the two towns, have had just the opposite effect, having led to the general spread of reports that there were more than one case. Private letters from people in Bristol, Va., show that the town is almost panic-stricken, and that the worst reports are being circulated as to the prevalence of the disease.

Park Concerts.

Tuesday night—Riverdale.
Wednesday night—Washington.
Thursday night—Jefferson.
Friday night—Cottrell.
Saturday night—Hydra.

ACADEMY BOOKS BIG ATTRACTIONS

Season Opens on August 25 With "The Merry Countess" by Good Company.

MANY STARS IN NEW LIST

Old Favorites Coming Back, With Many Recent Successes From Broadway.

Jake Wells, theatrical magnate of the South in general and president of the company that controls the Academy of Music here in particular, announced yesterday that among the attractions already booked for the Academy's coming season are the following:

"The Merry Countess."
Otis Skinner in "Kismet."
Evans' "Honey Boy Minstrels."
Henry Miller.
Howe's "Travelogues."
Maude Adams.
"The Firefly."
May Irwin.
"Ben Hur."
George Arliss in "Disraeli."
"Stop Thief."
"The Count of Luxembourg."
"Everywoman."
"Broadway Jones."
"Officer 666."
"Little Miss Fix-It."
"Quince Adams Sawyer."
"The Trail of the Lonesome Pine."
"Pine Feathers."
Al H. Wilson.
Mme. Nazimova.
"The Governor's Lady."
"Mud and Jeff."
"Within the Law."
"Little Boy Blue."
Annie Russell.
"The Conspiracy."
Primrose & Dockstader's Minstrels.
"The Girl of My Dreams."
"The Trail of the Lonesome Pine."
"Romance."
"Little Women."
John Drew.
"The Leopard's Spots."
Al G. Field's Minstrels.
"Ready Money."
Anna Held.
Robert Hilliard in "The Argyle Case."
Rose Stahl in "Maggie Pepper."
William Faversham.
"The Girl of the Year."
"Damaged Goods."
"The Pink Lady."
Gertrude Hoffman.
"The Girl of the Year."
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As has been announced, the season will open August 25, with "The Merry Countess," but the other dates have not been made public, for the reason that the booking of other attractions, in which Mr. Wells is still busily engaged, necessitates the constant changing of dates.

NO STABLE PERMIT

Ordinance Committee Turns Down Application of E. A. Saunders.

The Subcommittee on Ordinances yesterday ruled against the application of E. A. Saunders, who had applied for a permit to build a large livery and sales stable at Broad and Third Streets. The ordinance committee turned down the application for the same privilege was turned down by the council in November, and Chairman Gould had then been elected. The ordinance committee turned down the application for the same privilege was turned down by the council in November, and Chairman Gould had then been elected. The ordinance committee turned down the application for the same privilege was turned down by the council in November, and Chairman Gould had then been elected.

HUSBAND FOUND ALIVE

Wife Thought He Had Committed Suicide—Turns Up in Baltimore.

Mrs. Annie Curley, of 225 North Eighteenth Street, went to police headquarters yesterday morning and said that her husband, who had been missing since Thursday, had been found alive in Baltimore, down and out, and anxious to come back home if he can raise the price of car fare.

EXTEND BOARD'S POWER

Ordinance Would Give It Right to Grant Right of Way and Sewer Privileges.

The Council Committee on Streets received yesterday an ordinance, framed by the City Attorney, giving the Board of Public Works the power to extend water and sewer privileges to non-residents without referring applications to the Board. The ordinance requires each application to be presented in form of an ordinance, which has to be passed by both branches and approved by the Mayor in the regular manner. The ordinance was introduced by the City Attorney, and is now before the committee, temporarily tabled.

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GET TOGETHER TO LAND CONVENTION

Will Be Invited to Richmond in 1914.

With the general idea of advancing the interests of the negro race in this city, and the specific intention of landing the next annual convention of the National Negro Business League, the Colored Citizens' Association was formed last night at a meeting of representative colored business and professional men, in the office of Giles B. Jackson. On motion of J. E. Byrd, the following officers were elected unanimously: Giles B. Jackson, president; H. H. Price, secretary, and D. P. Bragg, treasurer.

A committee of ten was appointed for the purpose of perfecting arrangements for sending a large delegation to Philadelphia next week to the fourth annual convention and to establish headquarters there from which the fight to bring the next meeting to Richmond will be conducted. The presiding officer was also empowered to appoint such other committees as may be necessary in completing the arrangements, as the stay in Philadelphia will be short, and there is much work to be accomplished.

The committee on arrangements consisted of Giles B. Jackson, chairman, J. E. Byrd, D. P. Bragg, Carey Wheaton, William Miller, W. R. Davenport, Q. W. Moore and H. H. Price, secretary.

"On to Richmond in 1914" is the slogan of the association.

SAYS HE IS MURDERER

After Arrest Negro Tells Police He Is Wanted for Killing Man.

Recognizing him from descriptions sent out several days ago, Patrolman Jacobus yesterday arrested a man, colored, at Nineteenth and Franklin Streets, and accused him of the murder of a white man, colored, in Toano, Va., about three weeks ago. Lee, at first denied it, and was locked up at the police station.

A few minutes after he had been in a cell Lee called for an officer, and responded, "He then confessed he was wanted in Toano for killing Brown during a row over a game of craps. Lee has already been indicted for Brown's murder, and an officer from Toano will take him back this morning for trial."

HELD FOR ROBBERY

L. A. Zimmer Also Accused of Assaulting Charles Wilson.

L. A. Zimmer, accused of assaulting and robbing Charles Wilson Saturday night, was held for the grand jury yesterday morning in police court.

The hearing of James T. Phillips, held on the charge of striking Mike Mahoney on the head with a hatchet, was continued until August 13.

Lizzie Hill, colored, was fined \$25 and costs for assaulting Emma Hill.

William Mitchell, colored, was fined \$10, sent to jail for two months and placed on bond for his good behavior for twelve months for selling liquor without a license.

BAKER APPOINTED

Chesterfield Man on State Board of Charities and Corrections.

Governor Mann announced yesterday the appointment of Captain W. W. Baker, a member of the House of Delegates from Chesterfield County, as a member of the State Board of Charities and Corrections for a term beginning July 1, 1914. Captain Baker resigned as a member of the board of trustees of the State Normal and Industrial Institute for Women at Radford, the vacancy being filled by the appointment of J. D. Buchanan, of Ellendale, Scott County.

W. C. Shackelford, of Front, Albemarle County, was appointed a member of the board of visitors of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute at Blacksburg, to succeed the late Colonel A. M. Bowman, of Salem.

PLUCKY GIRL DEFENDS SELF WITH REVOLVER

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Weapon was loaded with blank cartridges.

Beverly Banks Threatened.

Another development brought about by the investigation was the receipt by the negro Banks yesterday morning of an anonymous letter signed by "White Men of Chesterfield." Its contents were to the effect that unless the negro left the Bon Air Home in forty-eight hours he would be lynched. The letter was postmarked Richmond, Miss. Wright brought the mischievous letter, and it was turned over to the police office authorities for investigation. Banks appeared much disturbed over the receipt of the letter. Miss Wright, Mrs. Light and other ladies given the negro a splendid reputation.

"Affairs like these," said a member of the State board last night, "merely go to show what persons in charge of an institution of this character have to contend with."

Girls Planned Trouble.

Miss Wright began her work at Bon Air on August 4. Besides the threats made the second day, she had no trouble until she testified last Friday at the investigation. She said at that time that a large percentage of the inmates were feeble-minded and could not be confined in an institution such as the one at Bon Air.

It appears that a report of this testimony was given one of the girls last Saturday by her parents, who visited her at the home. This girl told others, with the result, it is understood, all vowed not to permit Miss Wright to leave the home alive, or else, according to another version, to run her away.

At this time the girls heard a report that Banks was to be removed. This further incensed them and spread more discontent.

Miss Wright went to the school yesterday morning on the 10.30 train for the purpose of completing her work. She is a graduate of the Vineland Training School, of New Jersey, which is conducted by Prof. Goddard, who is regarded as a national authority on mental afflictions, and Miss Wright is regarded as an expert.

Faces Painted Black.

Miss Wright had only three more pupils to examine. In the presence of Mrs. Light and Banks she had commenced the examination of the first delinquent, and had taken up the second case when the matron and negro left the room.

But just before she was finishing two buckets of water were thrown through an open window upon Miss Wright's papers and vests. None of the girls would tell who were the guilty parties. "I felt a little bit nervous while I was waiting for the automobile, and when all of the children appeared with rocks as I was about to depart, I was almost scared," she said.

WOMAN RUN DOWN BY MOTORCYCLIST

Mrs. W. R. Hall May Have Sustained Internal Injuries When Thrown to Pavement.

Mrs. W. R. Hall, of 1114 Beverly Street, was probably internally hurt yesterday morning at 10.30 o'clock when she was struck by a motorcycle ridden by C. C. Campbell, of 501 Fourth Avenue, Highland Park, as she alighted from her car at Fourth and Broad Streets. Her husband, who was waiting for her, was standing at the corner and saw his wife knocked down. Campbell, witnesses said, made every effort to avoid the accident. He was arrested by Captain Evans and Detective-Sergeant Wiley, and taken to police headquarters. He was bailed for his appearance this morning in Police Court.

Mrs. Hall had just stepped from an eastbound car and was about to cross the street to join her husband. Campbell was moving in the same direction as the car. The woman had barely taken a single step when she was struck and thrown heavily to the pavement.

Emergency treatment was rendered by Dr. J. M. Torregrossa, City Hospital ambulance surgeon, and Mrs. Hall was removed to her home.

Fined for Injuring Cow.

Found guilty of jabbing a pitchfork into a cow, Albert Williams was fined \$10 and costs by Magistrate T. J. Purser, of Henrico County. The complaint was made by Joe Troy, colored, the owner of the animal. The offense, it is alleged, was committed when Williams became angered at the cow grazing on the public road in front of his home. Another warrant charging him with threatening to duplicate the act on Troy's small son was dismissed.

EACH VOTE COSTS HIM A QUARTER

S. Gordon Cumming Spent \$1,144.12 in Primary Race for Attorney-General.

It cost S. Gordon Cumming, of Hampton, defeated candidate for Attorney-General, just about 25 cents for each vote he received in the recent Democratic primary. Carrying out the provisions of the primary law, Mr. Cumming yesterday submitted to Clerk Holt, of Elizabeth City County, an itemized statement of his expenses. The latter totaled \$1,144.12. Mr. Cumming received more than 1,500 votes.

The largest item in the campaign expenses of the Elizabeth City candidate was for postage, which cost him \$127.30.

His itemized account, sworn to before a notary, follows:

Postage..... \$127.30
Transportation..... 160.00
Hotel expenses (including headquarters)..... 168.44
Printing..... 152.69
Clerical expenses..... 145.25
Public halls..... 125.00
Telephone and telegraph..... 31.80
Newspaper advertisement..... 49.90
Expressage..... 7.00
Total..... \$1,144.12

Marry in Washington.

A marriage license was issued yesterday in Washington, D. C., to Stanley C. Moore and Nora J. Austin, both of Richmond. The groom's address is given as 216 East Marshall Street.

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Mr. Southern Merchant, before you leave town.

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